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18 **UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT**
19 **CENTRAL DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA – WESTERN DIVISION**

20 CHARMAINE CHUA, TORIE
21 RIVERA, LYDIA HICKS, and KYLE
22 TODD, individually and on behalf of a
23 class of similarly situated persons, and
24 the NATIONAL LAWYERS GUILD,

25 PLAINTIFFS,

26 vs.

27 CITY OF LOS ANGELES, a
28 municipal entity, CHIEF CHARLIE
BECK, COMMANDER ANDREW
SMITH, CAPT. JEFF BERT, and
DOES 1-10 inclusive,

DEFENDANTS.

Case No.: 16-cv-00237-JAK-GJS

**JOINT STATUS REPORT OF
SETTLEMENT AND PROPOSED
REVISED SCHEDULING DATES**

Date: None
Time: None
Ctvm: Hon. John Kronstadt

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1 The parties previously informed the Court that they participated in a
 2 settlement conference with Magistrate Judge Gandhi, but did not reach a
 3 settlement. Subsequently, they scheduled a further settlement conference, but had
 4 to cancel the date because several counsel were in trial and could not attend. The
 5 parties then attempted to schedule a further settlement conference with Judge
 6 Gandhi before he left the bench to become a private mediator, but there were no
 7 available dates.

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 9 Plaintiffs' counsel then contacted the private mediation service and obtained
 10 available dates for a further mediation. The parties selected May 23, 2018;
 11 however, Judge Gandhi's office cancelled the mediation last week because of a
 12 family emergency. The parties have now agreed to a further mediation with Judge
 13 Gandhi on June 20, 2018. Counsel for the parties have conferred and still believe
 14 that settlement is possible in this matter.

15 In response to the Court's most recent order to provide new scheduling
 16 dates, the parties propose the following timeline:
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19	November 27, 2018	Jury Trial
20	November 13, 2018	Final PTC, Status Conference re Disputed
21		Exhibits, and Hearing on Motions in Limine
22	October 29, 2018	Last day to file pre-trial documents
23	October 15, 2018	Anticipated ruling on all motions
24	September 24, 2018	Last day to hear motions (including
25		discovery motions)
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27	July 16, 2018	Last day to amend/add additional parties
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1 July 16, 2018

Last day to file motions (including all
discovery motions)

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3 July 16, 2018

Expert discovery cut-off

4 July 2, 2018

Rebuttal expert disclosures

5 June 18, 2018

Initial expert disclosures

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8 Dated: May 25, 2018

Respectfully submitted,

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10 /s/ Carol A. Sobel

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